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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES TO
FOREIGN AIRLINES

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1. THE EGYPTIAN AIRLINE (AIR MISR) IS A PUBLIC CORPORATION WHICH IS WHOLLY OWNED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF EGYPT. REVENUES FROM THE AIRLINE ARE CONSIDERED REVENUES OF THE GOVERNMENT AND THE NATIONAL BUDGET CONTAINS THE OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AIRLINE. THE AIRLINE IS RUN ACCORDING TO GENERAL ECONOMIC PRINCIPLES OF PROFITABILITY IN DETERMINING ROUTING AND PASSENGER SERVICES. THE GOVERNMENT MAY OVERRULE ECONOMIC DECISIONS WHEN POLITICAL REASONS DICTATE, IN WHICH CASE THE GOVERNMENT PROVIDES THE ADDITIONAL REVENUE NECESSARY.

2. ACCORDING TO THE AIRLINE'S GENERAL MANAGER FOR PLANNING, THE AIRLINE MAKES ITS OWN WAY IN THE SENSE THAT IT TAKES IN JUST ABOUT AS MUCH AS IT COSTS TO OPERATE. EXPANSION IN TERMS OF CAPITAL EQUIPMENT IS, OF COURSE, FUNDED BY THE GOVERNMENT.
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